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## RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

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Sir or Madam:

Responsive to the Decision on Petition dated November 3, 2004, in the above-identified application, Applicants respectfully request consideration of the present Renewed Petition Under 37 CFR 1.137(b).

Applicants hereby petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) for revival of the above-identified patent application abandoned unintentionally. Applicants state that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. The required reply is enclosed herewith.

Authorization to charge any necessary fees is provided herewith.

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Corrected drawings for Figures 1-9 as required by the Notice of Allowability are enclosed herewith. Copies of the original drawings as filed, with changes indicated in red ink, are also enclosed. Applicants request entry of the corrected drawings.

The Issue Fee Transmittal Form (PTOL-85b) for the above-identified application was filed on November 29, 2004. A copy of the documents as filed is enclosed.

As discussed in a November 29, 2004, telephone conversation between Examiner

Laymon and the undersigned Applicant's attorney, Applicants claim Large Entity Status. In the

November 3 Decision on Petition, it was noted that Deposit Account 50-2212 had been charged

\$665 for the original petition fee and \$665 for the issue fee. Applicants request that additional

fees be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-2212, in order to collect the correct Large Entity

petition fee, issue fee, and publication fee for this application. It is the Applicants'

understanding that no new petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(l) is required with the present

Renewed Petition.

Applicants request that this renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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